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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTION OF SPECIES

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This responds to the Requirement for Election of Species mailed July 13, 2007 in the above-identified application.

The Examiner asserts that the application contains claims directed to the following patentably distinct species.

I. Fig. 2a;

II. Fig. 2b;

III. Fig. 2c;

IV: Fig. 2d; and

V. Figs. 3-11.

In response, Applicant hereby elects species V, Figs. 3-11, for prosecution in the present application. The Applicant submits that claims 30-56 read on the elected species.

The application is now ready for examination on the merits. If there are questions regarding this response, please contact Applicant's undersigned attorney.

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Respectfully submitted,

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